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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

[No meetings are scheduled at Headquarters on Monday, 27 December and Tuesday, 28 December 1994, *Official Holidays*]

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

There will be open-ended informal consultations of the AD HOC GROUP ON THE BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION on Tuesday, 3 January 1995, at 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 5, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva.

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The AD HOC GROUP OF THE STATES PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION AND STOCKPILING OF BACTERIOLOGICAL (BIOLOGICAL) AND TOXIN WEAPONS AND ON THEIR DESTRUCTION (BWC AD HOC GROUP) will hold its session from 4 to 6 January 1995. The opening meeting will take place on Wednesday, 4 January 1995, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room XVIII at the Palais des Nations at Geneva.

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The GROUP OF GOVERNMENTAL EXPERTS TO PREPARE THE REVIEW CONFERENCE OF THE STATES PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION ON PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF CERTAIN CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS WHICH MAY BE DEEMED TO BE EXCESSIVELY INJURIOUS OR TO HAVE INDISCRIMINATE EFFECTS (CCW GROUP OF EXPERTS) will hold its fourth session from 9 to 20 January 1995. The opening meeting will take place on Monday, 9 January 1995, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room XVIII at the Palais des Nations at Geneva.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNDP AND UNFPA

The first regular session of 1995 of the Executive Board of UNDP and UNFPA will be held from 10 to 13 January 1995 at United Nations Headquarters. The provisional agenda, the annotations, the list of documents and the work plan are contained in document DP/1995/L.1.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 21 December 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 36th meeting

The representative of the United Kingdom spoke on a point of procedure.

The Controller made a statement.

Programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [107]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

First Performance Report

The Controller made a statement.

The Chairman orally presented a draft decision on this matter.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally presented by the Chairman.

Programme budget for the biennium 1990-1991 [155]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.17 without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 155.

Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors [104]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The Secretary of the Committee spoke on a point of information.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran in his capacity as Vice-Chairman of the Committee introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.14.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

A statement in explanation of position was made by the representative of India.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 104.

Human Resources Management [113]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Australia introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.16.

The representative of Portugal made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 113.

Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [146]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The Chairman orally presented a draft decision on this matter.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally presented by the Chairman.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 146.

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations [132]

Support Account

The representative of Portugal introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.25

The representative of Mauritania made a statement.

Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping force in the Middle East [116]

(a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Latvia introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.26.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

(b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Latvia introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.27.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

A statement in explanation of position was made by the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 116 (a) and (b).

Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II [123]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran in his capacity as Vice-Chairman of the Committee introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.24.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Pakistan and India.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 123.

Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique [124]

The Controller made a statement

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations [132]

Support Account

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

Statements were made by the representatives of Portugal and Cameroon.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.25 without a vote.

Programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [107]

Revised estimates under sections 3A, 3C, 4, 8, 15, 24, 28 and Income Section 1 (Apartheid)

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The representative of Portugal introduced a draft resolution, which was to be subsequently issued as A/C.5/49/L.23.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Zimbabwe and the United Republic of Tanzania.

Revised estimates under section 21, Human rights

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The representative of Ireland orally presented a draft decision on this matter.

The representative of China made a statement.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally presented.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Cuba and Cameroon.

Revised estimates under sections 3A, 3C, 4, 8, 15, 24, 28 and Income Section 1 (Apartheid)

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The representative of Algeria in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Committee orally presented a draft decision on this matter.

The representative of Mauritania made a statement.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally presented.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti [128]

The Controller made a statement.

The representative of France made a statement.

The Controller replied to a question posed.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the representative of Ukraine and by the Chairman.

Thursday, 22 December 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 37th meeting

The Assistant Secretary-General for the Office of Human Resource Management made a statement and replied to questions previously posed.

Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM II) [117]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The representative of Portugal introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.11.

Statements were made by the representatives of Egypt, Portugal, Algeria, Burkina Faso, Tunisia, Cuba and Mauritania.

Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia (UNOMIL) [129]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Australia introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.29.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 129.

Financing of the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP) [125]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Latvia introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.10.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Turkey and Cyprus.

The representative of Turkey spoke on a point of order.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 125.

Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique (ONUMOZ) [124]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

Statements were made by the representatives of France and the United Kingdom.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti (UNMIH) [128]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

Statements were made by the representatives of France and the United States.

Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO) [119]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The representative of Ukraine introduced draft decision A/C.5/49/L.21.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Algeria, and Morocco.

The Controller and the Director of the Peace-keeping Financing Division replied to questions posed.

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 119.

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations [132]

(b) Relocation of Belarus and Ukraine to the group of member States set out in para. 3c of resolution 43/232

The representative of Algeria in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Committee introduced draft decision A/C.5/49/L.22.

The representative of France orally amended the draft decision.

The representative of Brazil made a statement and proposed an amendment to the amendment proposed by the representative of France.

The representative of France and the United Kingdom spoke on points of information.

The Secretary of Committee spoke on a point of information.

Statements were made by the representatives of Brazil, France, Ukraine, Japan and Cuba.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally amended.

A statement in explanation of position was made by the representative of Japan.

38th meeting

Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM) [117]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.11 without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 117.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [112]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Barbados introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.30.

A statement was made by the representative of Japan.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Japan, Bulgaria, Latvia (on behalf of the Baltic countries), the Russian Federation, Turkey and Portugal.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 112.

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations [132]

(a) Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The representative of Belgium introduced and orally revised draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.31.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft resolution as orally revised.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of India, New Zealand (on behalf of Australia, Canada and New Zealand), Ireland, Japan, Bangladesh, Germany and Pakistan.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 132.

Programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [107]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The contingency fund: consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee made a statement.

The Chairman of the Committee orally presented a draft decision on this matter.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally presented by the Chairman.

Draft report of the Fifth Committee

The representative of Algeria in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Committee introduced and orally revised the draft report of the Fifth Committee to the General Assembly on agenda item 107 (A/C.5/49/L.32).

The Committee then proceeded to take decisions on the draft report before it.

Draft resolution I was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution II was adopted without a vote.

Without a vote, the Committee then adopted the draft report of the Fifth Committee on agenda item 107.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 107.

Programme planning [108]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

The representative of Mexico in her capacity as Vice-Chairman of the Committee made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Indonesia (on behalf of the members of the Movement of the Non-Aligned Countries), Cuba, Germany (on behalf of the European Union and Austria), Bangladesh, China, Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Australia, Cameroon, Zimbabwe, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Colombia.

The Director of the Budget Division replied to questions posed.

The Chairman orally presented a draft decision on this matter.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally presented by the Chairman.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 108.

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [105]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 1996-1997

The representative of Mexico, in her capacity as Vice-Chairman of the Committee, introduced draft resolution A/C.5/49/L.28.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

A statement in explanation of position was made by the representative of Cuba.

The Chairman then made an oral recommendation.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the recommendation as presented by the Chairman

Action taken on certain documents

The Committee had before it draft decision A/C.5/49/L.19 submitted by the Chairman.

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

Biennial programme of work of the Fifth Committee for 1995-1996

The Committee had before it draft decision A/C.5/49/L.19 submitted by the Chairman.

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 105.

The representative of the Field Operation Division replied to an earlier question posed under agenda item 117.

Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique (ONUMOZ) [124]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The Chairman introduced draft decision A/C.5/49/L.18/Rev.1.

Without a vote, the Committee adopted the revised draft decision.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 124.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti (UNMIH) [128]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item.

The Chairman introduced draft decision A/C.5/49/L.12/Rev.1.

The Committee adopted the revised draft decision without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 128.

Right of reply

The representatives of Turkey and Cyprus spoke in the exercise of their right of reply.

Closure of the first part of the work of the Fifth Committee at the 49th session

Statements were made by the representatives of Singapore (on behalf of the Group of Asian States), Tunisia (on behalf of the Group of African States), Spain (on behalf of the Group of Western European and other States), Hungary (on behalf of the Group of Eastern European States) and Barbados (on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States), as well as by the Under-Secretary-General for the Department of Administration and Management and the Chairman.

The Chairman declared closed the first part of the work of the Fifth Committee at the forty-ninth session.

Friday, 23 December 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

94th plenary meeting

United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s: draft resolution (A/49/L.44/Rev.2) [154]

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/49/L.44/Rev.2 (resolution 49/142).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Tunisia, Germany (on behalf of the European Union and Austria, Finland and Sweden) and the United States.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 154.

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly and organization of work: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by the Secretary-General (A/49/240) [8]

The General Assembly, on the basis of the proposal contained in the note by the Secretary-General (A/49/240), decided to include in the agenda of the forty-ninth session an additional item, entitled "Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan", and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

The President informed the Assembly that the additional item had become item 162 of the agenda of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly.

Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization: draft resolution (A/49/L.63) [10]

The President made a statement.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/49/L.63 (resolution 49/143).

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 10.

Reports of the Third Committee

The Rapporteur of the Third Committee introduced the reports of the Third Committee.

Elimination of racism and racial discrimination: report of the Third Committee (Parts I and II) (A/49/604 and Add.1) [93]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to III recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 19 of Part I of its report (A/49/604) (resolutions 49/144, 49/145 and 49/146).

The Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 8 of Part II of its report (A/49/604/Add.1) (resolution 49/147).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 93.

Right of peoples to self-determination: report of the Third Committee (A/49/752) [94]

The Assembly proceeded to take action on the four draft resolutions recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 25 of its report (A/49/752).

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (resolution 49/148)	Adopted		
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 49/149)	147	2	19
Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 49/150)	118	19	33
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 49/151)	113	5	51

A statement in explanation of vote after the vote was made by the representative of the Republic of Korea.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 94.

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family: report of the Third Committee (Parts I and II) (A/49/605 and Add.1) [95]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 20 of Part I of its report (A/49/605) (resolutions 49/152, 49/153, 49/154 and 49/155).

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 21 of Part I of the same document (A/49/605).

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 5 of Part II of its report (A/49/605/Add.1).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 95.

Crime prevention and criminal justice: report of the Third Committee (A/49/606) [96]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 25 of its report (A/49/606) (resolution 49/156, 49/157, 49/158 and 49/159).

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 26 of the same document (A/49/606).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of the United Kingdom.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 96.

Advancement of women: report of the Third Committee (A/49/607) [97]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to VIII recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 37 of its report (A/49/607) (resolutions 49/160, 49/161, 49/162, 49/163, 49/164, 49/165, 49/166 and 49/167).

The Assembly adopted draft decisions I and II recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 38 of the same document (A/49/607).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 97.

International drug control: report of the Third Committee (A/49/608) [98]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/49/608) (resolution 49/168).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 98.

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions: report of the Third Committee (A/49/609) [99]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to VI recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 30 of its report (A/49/609) (resolutions 49/169, 49/170, 49/171, 49/172, 49/173, and 49/174).

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 31 of the same document (A/49/609).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of the United States and Turkey.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 99.

Human Rights questions: report of the Third Committee (Part I) (A/49/610) [100]

The General Assembly took note of Part I of the report (A/49/610).

Implementation of human rights instruments: report of the Third Committee (Part II) (A/49/610/Add.1) [100 (a)]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 23 of Part II of its report (A/49/610/Add.1) (resolutions 49/175, 49/176, 49/177 and 49/178).

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 24 of the same document (A/49/610/Add.1).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 100.

Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (Part III) (A/49/610/Add.2) [100 (b)]

Statements in explanation of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of China, Côte d'Ivoire and Cuba.

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on the seventeen draft resolutions recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 68 of Part III of its report (A/49/610/Add.3):

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (resolution 49/179)	Adopted		
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 49/180)	97	57	14
Draft resolution III (resolution 49/181)	Adopted		
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 49/182)	88	5	70
Draft resolution V (resolution 49/183)	Adopted		
Draft resolution VI (resolution 49/184)	Adopted		
Draft resolution VII (resolution 49/185)	Adopted		
Draft resolution VIII (recorded vote) (resolution 49/186)	110	35	24
Draft resolution IX (resolution 49/187)	Adopted		
Draft resolution X (resolution 49/188)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XI (resolution 49/189)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XII (recorded vote) (resolution 49/190)	155	1	12

	Yes	No	Abstentions
Draft resolution XIII (resolution 49/191)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XIV (resolution 49/192)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XV (resolution 49/193)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XVI (resolution 49/194)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XVII (resolution 49/195)	Adopted		

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 69 of the same document (A/49/610/Add.3).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of India and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 100.

Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives: report of the Third Committee (Part IV) (A/49/610/Add.3) [100 (c)]

A statement in explanation of vote before the vote was made by the representative of Cuba.

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on the twelve draft resolutions recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 61 of Part IV of its report (A/49/610/Add.2):

	Yes	No	Abstentions
Draft resolution I			
operative paragraph 2 (recorded vote)	114	1	14
operative paragraph 4 (recorded vote)	140	1	17
as a whole (recorded vote) (resolution 49/196)	150	0	14
Draft resolution II (resolution 49/197)	Adopted		
Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 49/198)	101	13	49
Draft resolution IV (resolution 49/199)	Adopted		
Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 49/200)	65	23	70
Draft resolution VI (resolution 49/201)	Adopted		
Draft resolution VII (recorded vote) (resolution 49/202)	74	25	55
Draft resolution VIII (recorded vote) (resolution 49/203)	114	3	47
Draft resolution IX (recorded vote) (resolution 49/204)	114	2	40
Draft resolution X (resolution 49/205)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XI (resolution 49/206)	Adopted		
Draft resolution XII (resolution 49/207)	Adopted		

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 62 of its report (A/49/610/Add.2).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Cape Verde, China and Indonesia.

The representative of Rwanda made a statement.

A statement in the exercise of the right of reply was made by the representative of Pakistan.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 100.

Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action: report of the Third Committee (Part V) (A/49/610/Add.4) [100 (d)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 14 of Part V of its report (A/49/610/Add.4) (resolution 49/208) and draft decisions I and II recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 15 of the same document.

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 100.

Capital punishment: report of the Third Committee (Part VI) (A/49/610/Add.5) [100 (e)]

The General Assembly took note of Part VI of the report.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (e) of agenda item 100.

Promotion and protection of the rights of children: report of the Third Committee (A/49/611) [101]

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of the United States and Indonesia.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 26 of its report (A/49/611) (resolutions 49/209, 49/210, 49/211 and 49/212).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 101.

Preparation for and organization of the United Nations Year for Tolerance: report of the Third Committee (A/49/612) [102]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/49/612) (resolution 49/213).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 102.

Programme of activities of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People: report of the Third Committee (Part II) (A/49/613/Add.1) [103]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 10 of Part II of its report (A/49/613/Add.1) (resolution 49/214).

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 11 of the same document (A/49/613/Add.1).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Brazil.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 103.

Report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Third Committee (A/49/603) [12]

The General Assembly adopted draft decisions I and II recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/49/603).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of the chapters of the report of the Economic Council allocated to the Third Committee.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Third Committee.

95th plenary meeting

Note: The summary of the 95th plenary meeting of the General Assembly will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1994/250).

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Protocol amending Article 1 (a), Article 14 (1) and Article 14 (3) (b) of the European Agreement of 30 September 1957 concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR), adopted at Geneva on 28 October 1993

Accession: Spain (21 December 1994)*

Amendments to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization, relating to the Institutionalization of the Facilitation Committee in the Convention, adopted on 7 November 1991

Acceptance: Republic of Korea (22 December 1994)*

CORRIGENDUM

The third entry appearing in this section on Friday, 23 December 1994 (see *Journal* No. 1994/248, p. 6, *should read as follows*:

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Ratification: Chile (22 December 1994*)

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chairmen of regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *December* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Guinea
H.E. Mr. Aboubacar Dione
Chargé d'affaires

Asian States:
Singapore
H.E. Mr. Chew Tai Soo

Eastern European States:
Hungary
H.E. Mr. István Náthon
Latin American and Caribbean States:
Saint Lucia
H.E. Mr. George William Odlum

Western European and Other States:
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H.E. Mr. Juan Antonio Yañez Barnuevo

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